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"GREEN's" INFORMATION ON WAR PRODUCTION IN CANADA (1944)

From: OTTAWA

To: MOSCOW

No: 48

22 Jan. 44

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To the Director.

[75 groups unrecoverable, 3 groups unrecovered].

[Q% men.] [2 groups unrecovered] [Q% began to fall sharply]. At the end of 1944 the construction of ships will be stopped.

2. On the Italian front the troops of the FOREST, LESNOJ [1] army consist of the 1st and 2nd Infantry Divisions.

3. According to [a] GREEN's [GREEN] [11] data production of the Tank Buster [TANK BUSTER] [b] is proceeding at the rate of [1 group unrecovered] a month and [1 group unrecovered] tanks over and above the plan for [2 groups unrecovered]. The grand total on 1 January 1944

[16 groups unrecoverable]

[Q% A] are supposed to be delivered [1 group unrecovered] vehicles of which at the beginning of 1944 only [1% 178] had been delivered and sent overseas. The remaining [1 group unrecovered] will be delivered in January, 1944. Now being tested is an "anti-aircraft" [sic] [c] which will fit on the M3A1 and will have three guns (possibly Bofors) instead of six 3-pounder guns. Testing has been going on since summer last year.

4. BOUNCEBUST [BOUNCEBUST] [111] up to now has not obtained detailed data on the Busters for handing over to us.

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To the Chief Director.

[1 group unrecovered] 1944 was [d] sent^{to} you [8 groups unrecovered]
 [1 package] [books] there was [q] a note about the sending [7 groups unrecovered],
 because it proved impossible to send the typewriter [c] with [1 package], and
 together with the typewriter [u] the books will remain as well. (See our No. 11). [f]

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Notes: [a] Supplied by the translator.

[b] Or the Buster Tank. It is not clear whether this is meant
 to refer to a type of tank or an anti-
 tank weapon.

[c] In Latin letters.

[d] Or "wire".

[e] Or "sewing-machine".

[f] Not available.

Comments: [1] FOREST : Canadian; in a NEW YORK message LEBOVSKIJ was used.
 Both are adjectives associated with the invented name
 LEBOVITS, meaning "Canada" formed from LEB "forest, wood".

[11] GREEN : [REDACTED]

[111] ECONOMIST: Ivan I. KROTOV, Soviet Commercial Attaché in OTTAWA.

[iv] GRANT : Colonel Nikolaj ZABOTIN, Soviet Military Attaché
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